



GOODS MOVEMENT PROGRAM PUBLIC MEETING

The Bay Area Air Quality Management District and the Port of Oakland invite you to participate in a public meeting to discuss their funding application to the California Air Resources Board (ARB) for \$35 million under the California Goods Movement Bond. This meeting is to seek community input to help identify opportunities for projects that reduce air pollution emissions and health risk from freight movement in the Bay Area's trade corridors. The applications must be submitted to the ARB by April 4, 2008.

Date/Time

March 25, 2008
7-9 p.m.

Public Workshop Location

West Oakland Senior Center
1724 Adeline St. (In the multi-purpose room)
Oakland, CA

Background Under the Program, ARB will grant funds to local agencies, such as the Air District and Port, which will then provide financial incentives to owners of equipment used in freight movement to upgrade to cleaner technologies. Priority will be given to projects that reduce diesel engine pollution in the most highly impacted communities.

Examples of projects that may be eligible for funding include those that reduce emissions from diesel truck engines, locomotives, ships at dock, commercial harbor craft, and cargo equipment operating in the Bay Area's trade corridors.

Documents For more information regarding this Program visit the Air District's Goods Movement website at:

www.baaqmd.gov/pln/grants_and_incentives/gm/index.htm

Contacts We encourage your participation and look forward to your input. If you have questions on the Program, please contact Joseph Steinberger, Principal Environmental Planner, Grants Section, at jsteinberger@baaqmd.gov or call (415) 749-5018.